FANFARE FOR FINGER! It had to happen and it did! Bill Finger, the writer responsible for many of the great Batman tales of the 40's, including the origins of some of the greatest villains of all comicdom, has been signed up to write for the TV series. And a national magazine is interested in doing an article on Bill which should put him into the limelight where he belongs after all these years. It takes more than art to make a comic book great and Bill Finger's typewriter has been proving that for years.

DC's NEWSPAPER STRIPS. I'm sorry for not saying a few issues back that the Batman appearance in the daily papers would be in the Superman strip for the week of January 30th. But if you search back you may still be able to get it in some papers. The Superman strip is finally dead. The last Sunday and daily segments are being sent out and no more will appear. Wayne Boring will be doing more work in Action and Superman comics from now on. Curt Swan will be doing World's Finest and Adventure. George Papp continues on Superboy while Pete Costanza will do the art for Jimmy Olsen. The big news is the appearance of the Batman newspaper strip all over the nation on May 29. The Sunday adventure will pit Batman against the Penguin while the daily has him playing Bat and Cat against the Princess of Plunder, the Catwoman. Bob Kane offered a new exciting style in art but it is still the same type of work that you see in Detective and Batman when Carmine Infantino isn't handling the strip. Whitney Ellsworth is writing the scripts and they are straight take offs on the TV scripts including Holey Hospitals whenever it's necessary. Art is probably by Bob Kane and Shelley Moldorf. If you want to get the strip and your hometown paper doesn't intend to handle it, here are a few of the major papers that have signed up for it already. The Washington Star will carry it in ½ section on Sunday and 5 column spreads daily. The Detroit News will carry the strip in the same format as the Star. The Miami Herald and Baltimore News-American will carry it 1/3 Sunday and 4 column daily. Other papers to feature the strip are the Passaic, New Jersey Herald-News, The Salt Lake City Desert News, The Nashville Banner and the Dallas Morning News.

MAGAZINE ARTICLES AGAIN. Everyone in Fandom should have seen Life for March 11 and TV Guide issue which talked about the Batmanians and Biljo White. But Sports Illustrated for March 7 had an article on Jimmy Jacobs and his great interest in comic books, especially Batman. Canada's famous Maclean's magazine for March 19th ran an article on Superman and Batman. This gave lots of interesting insights into the forthcoming battle between National and Joe Shuster over the copyrights to Superman. There also was an original Batman strip done especially for the magazine in full color. The Sunday New York Times featured a great write-up on the Superman Broadway show on Sunday, March 27. There was lots of actual reporting on the comic-book Superman and his history. Try to get these if at all possible.

KING'S MAGICAL MANDRAKE. The first Mandrake book will contain two tales. The first plays up Lothar as he cleans up a city park plagued by crooks praying on citizens as they visit there. Mandrake gets in a few magic tricks but he uses them more in the second tale when a Flying Horse appears to help a crook raid penthouse parties and make off with gems and cash.

BUBBLE GUM CARDS. The first Batman set of bubble gum cards is selling like crazy all over the East Coast. They will be arriving in other areas of the nation soon. By then the second set of 44 should be selling in New York. These were pencilled by Bob Powell and look great. Fandom got in on these also because an academy member wrote the stories for the back of them just like Larry Ivie did for the first set. If sales continue great, there may even be a third set for fans to collect.

MORE THUNDER FROM TOWER. THUNDER Agents #7 will feature Dynamo wanted for treason. And if that isn't bad enough, NoMan wants to quit THUNDER in a story entitled To Be or Not To Be! I wonder where they got that one from. UNDERSEA Agents will be using dolphins in issue #4. Villains beware when Davey Jones joins these finny friends in an exciting story. There also are spirits and ghosts afoot under the sea when a haunted shipwreck foils the plans of the watery heroes. The lineup of books from Tower gets bigger all the time. In June you'll be able to find Dynamo in his own book facing a menace from the Moon. Tower's first war book will be out under the name of Fight The Enemy. And Tippy Teen's friend Go Go will get her own book also that month. There are more coming but I'll save that for next time.

MYSTERY OF THE SKULL CAVE! Bill Harris has written a full length adventure in which the big star is the Phantom's Skull Cave. A crook tricks his way into the cave in order to loot it of some of the fabled treasures that the Phantom is rumored to have there. Lot's of historical facts are learned as we follow the crook on his trip through the Skull Cave. King plans to make The Phantom a monthly title as soon as possible.

UNMASKING SPIDEY AND THE GOBLIN. It's taken a few years but Stan has finally done it. We finally learn who the Green Goblin is and the Goblin learns who Spidey is! John Romita turns in some great art work on this thrilling two part adventure in Spiderman #39 and 40.

BOMBS AWAY AND THE BATTLE IS ON. The Haunted Tank is stolen by a fugitive from a firing squad and it becomes a Target For A Firing Squad in GI Combat #119. Sgt. Rock and Easy Company get a new leader when they make a suicide attack on Buzzard Bait Hill. A mad Lt. from World War I takes over when "No One Comes Down Alive From Buzzard Hill" in Our Army At War #170. Fighting Forces finds Captain Hunter's search halted when he is captured by a group of teenage Viet Namese who force him to become their general in "Cold Steel For A Hot War!"

PRINCE VALIANT. Hal Foster's romantic figure of the days of King Arthur is getting big treatment again. Revell is offering an eight inch model of Val with his singing sword sometime in May. And a number of publishers have been eager to produce books that would reprint original adventures of Prince Valiant from the thirties and forties. King is also eager to get Foster to work out a new comic using Val to join the titles they will be offering for the first time this summer.

SUMMER SIZZLERS FROM MARVEL. Six huge annuals will be spread out over the three summer months from that Bullpen Crew. Millie the Model and Sgt. Fury will be going steady on the newstands during the month of June. Millie is all reprints but Fury and his Howlers have a huge D-Day tale that's all new besides some reprints from early issues. July will find Thor hitting the stands with a newcomer called MARVEL SUPER-HEROES. You'll get a great new Thor adventure but MSH will feature reprints of Daredevil and X-Men. August leaves the greatest titles to the last. There will be exciting new thrills as well as some great adventures that will bring back memories when The Fantastic Four and Spiderman show up in their yearly annuals.

THE CRITICS ACCLAIM. Museums and critics all over the world are jumping on the bandwagon and acclaiming cartoon work done by George Harriman, Milton Caniff, Burne Hogarth, Alex Raymond and Winsor McCay. The Metropolitan Museum in New York Ci-

ty has had a long running show of Little Nemo for a month now and it has drawn huge crowds. Burne Hogarth had a large show of his work appearing in Paris from February 12 to March 12. The critics were so enthusiastic that the show is now being sent all over Europe where other people will get to see the great work that Hogarth did on Tarzan and other strips. Turin in Italy had a fabulous show of original art by Caniff and Foster during the month of January. This same show has been so well received that there are plans to bring it over to New York City in September. And SOCERLID, the French societh that promotes newspaper strips, has even been offered a section of one Paris museum to set up a permanent exhibit of newspaper art in all its forms.

THE ONE SHOTS FROM CHARLTON. Charlton will issue six titles this summer which should be of interest to Comic Fandom. Two titles, D-Day and Attack, should please the war book fans. For those liking sixguns and action, there will be Wild West and Gunfighters. And in the fantasy field, Charlton will issue their first 25¢ book. This will be an all Ditko art book under the title of Fantastic Giants. Two of the tales, Konga and Gorgo are reprints of the origin tales of the huge beast. The other stories are brand new and rather offbeat monster items. In Shadows From Beyond, you'll find other tales about ghosts and mystery for 12¢.

HOLEY MOVIE MARQUEES! If it wasn't enough that the Batman serial made money wherever it played, another studio has re-released the original Captain Marvel serial in certain areas of the nation and it may hit your city soon. But the big titles to look for are the brand new films featuring Mandrake the Magician and Batman. Mandrake is before the cameras in Italy at the present time. And as soon as the present schedule of TV films for Batman are done, the crew will go to work on a full length, wide screen, technicolor tale of Batman. It will include all of the present cast and the Joker, Penguin, Riddler and Catwoman will all start off by themselves to get the Caped Crusader. When they fail singlely, they teamup for the wild finale.

HERE COMES CAPTAIN ACTION! GI Joe hit the toystores like a batallion of marines on D-Day. But Captain Action should make every comic book fan and collector rush to the store in hordes. He'll come in his own uniform but the big thrill is the other costumes you can buy to dress him in. There are nine at this time and they are Batman, Captain America, Steve Canyon, Sgt. Fury, Phantom, Superman, Flash Gordon, Aquaman, and the Lone Ranger. For each of those characters needing a special wig or facial expression, there are special faces which are able to cover the head of the doll completely. This is made by Ideal and the prices are very reasonable.

BARGAIN DAY FOR VILLAINS AND HEROES--ALL SUPER. Count Nefaria failed miserably when he tried to defeat the Avengers but he is back with a crew of baddies to make the whole U. S. Army stand up and take notice. With the Unicorn, Porcupine, Plant Man, Eel and Scarecrow as his allies, the X-Men have their fists full trying to keep the mass menaces from winning out.

JACK ARNESSON OF DELL. The editor of the Dell line of comics is going great guns as a writer also. For a dollar you can pick up a copy of "The Great Society Comic Book". This spoof on Super Heroes has such great characters as SUPERLBJ, Bobman and Teddy, Captain Marvelous, Wonderbird and many more. And his super Frankenstein comic will hit the stands the first week of May. If this one goes over, there will be other super monsters on the scene to fight evil and crime. How about a group book, Jack? You could call it "The Monster Marvels". With the emphasis on group books, it just might sell!

FLASH GORDON RETURNS TO MONGO! Al Williamson has written and illustrated the first Flash Gordon King comic book. This will take Flash, Dale and Zarkov back to Mongo to the Kingdom of Frigia to locate radium. The second tale in this book has Flash and Zarkov in the center of the earth were they find a long lost city. Larry Ivie has done a map of Mongo for this issue also. And if you can wiat until September, you'll be able to get a big bargin when Nostalgia Press will bring out a large hardbound volume of Alex Raymond's Flash Gordon. This will be in full color and contain complete sequences from the very early Flash Sundat strips including the whole Ice Kingdom of Frigia sequence! This will cost $10 and be worth it.

AURORA HAS GONE BATMAN CRAZY. They are working on a small scale Robin in the Batcave model at the present time. There will be lots of little details to make this model exciting. They will be doing the Batmobile, only it will be 1/32 scale. This makes it very small and look more like a sportscar instead of the huge Batmobile now being featured on the TV show. They're planning a Batplane and that will be 1/48 scale size. The WonderWoman doll is ready but the company is holding it back until the TV show is coming on. They hope to increase sales with it then. And they are keeping close watch on the Green Hornet to see if it will look good as a kit. Their Marvel Kits are coming along great. The Hulk will be seen in a running poistion amongst huge boulders. Spiderman will be seen hanging from a wall and shooting a web at Kraven below. They still haven't decided what to do with Captain America but it should look great!

KRYPTONITE KLUES! Superman #189 has Superman flying into space to stop a giant world from colliding with the earth. The shocker comes when he discovers that it is the planet Krypton! Nelson Bridwell has Supergirl returning to the Riverdale Orphanage for a reunion. But one of the other former residents is now a member of an underworld gang trying to find out Supergirl's secret identity and he has narrowed it down to a few girls from the orphanage including Linda in Action #340. Lois Lane #67 has the feminine newshound impersonating famous queens. She has Superman obeying her every command and he may even have to marry her! James Shooter, that 14-year-old boy from Pittsburgh, has done another Superman tale. It will be seen in Action #340 when Superman battles The Parasite. This villain can take away the Man of Steel's powers without using magic or kyrptonite. And over in World's Finest #159, the team tackles carbon copies in reverse of themselves. Their hands are full when they meet the Anti-Superman and Anti-Batman team.

AVENGERS SCATTER. Issue #30 finds the team doing solos all over the globe. Wanda and Pietro return to Europe to strengthen their powers. Hawkeye takes on Powerman, Swordsman and Black Widow all by himself. And all this time Goliath has vanished in South America while Cap and Wasp search for him. The title is Frenzy In A Far-Off Land and the story is exactly that--a frenzy.

P.S. AGAIN. The second issue hit the stand this week with many wonderful articles for Fandom. There is The Guys In The Trick Suits by William F. Nolan. Comic heroes abound in this one. And some may enjoy Tear Off A Box Top by Ron Goulart. Anyone for a Tom Mix branding iron? Issue #3 offers articles on private eyes, spies, unforgettable toys and the fabulous radio shows of the thirties and fourties.

ELONGATED EXCITMENT FROM NATIONAL. Plastic Man made only one appearance in Dial H for Hero but it impressed the Big Wigs in Hollywood. Plastic Man will be animated and on the home TV screens in the Fall. Now all National has to do is give old Plas his own comic again with art by Joe Mooney. It could be something for Showcase or Brave and Bold to consider. Meanwhile Julie Schwartz has scheduled some exciting tales in the back of Detective for that stretching sleuth, the Elongated Man. June finds his nose wiggling up excitement over the counter of Monte Carlo. July has him reading fortunes when a gypsy fortune teller brings up the Puzzling Prophecies Of The Tea Leaves. Action pervades the August issue when Ralph Dibney battles it out with the Double Dealing Jewel Thieves. But Sue will probably have a few doubts about letting Ralph go of on his September adventure with Zatana. Zatara's daughter shows up and together they puzzle out the Tantalizing Trouble of the Tripod Thieves.

PAPERBACKS PLENTIFUL! If the comic book companies don't look out all their characters will be appearing only on the shelves of your local book stores in the paper back section. New American Library promises two titles featuring Batman and Robin. The first is simply called Batman and has eight old Batman strips in black and white in one volume for 50¢and is on sale right now. By May you should be reading the first novelization of Batman ever to appear! Winston Lyon has writtenn a three parter called Batman Vs. Three Villains of Doom. For 50¢ you'll get to read the Dynamic Duo battle it out with the Penguin, Joker and Catwoman. Belmont has contacted Mighty Comics and managed to get them to do a book called "High Camp Super Heroes". You'll find a Steel Sterling strip as well as a web feature in this 160 page book for only 50¢. Russ Jones, who put out that "Dracula" book, is now working on "Frankenstein". If all goes well, he is also working on a volume entitled "Rember How Great the Comics Used To Be!" This may or may not come off but if it does it should be out by the end of the year. If you follow the Camp crowd, then maybe Dell's small book simply called Trivia is for you! It should bring back lots of memories about old comics, serials, movies and radio. And Nostalge Mdse. Company has a book out with funny illoes and blurbs that tell you where the heroes of yesterday's radio, newspaper and comic books are today. For $1, there is humor in reading "Where Are They Now?"

FANZINES NOW READY FOR YOU! Fantasy Illustrated is off the presses and in the mails right now. There is an exciting Alien Au

tumn strip written and illustrated by Jeff Jones. Russ Manning reviews Feiffer's book and does a great job of it. Richard Kyle dissects the books from Warren as well as material being done by others in the Warren style. Send 60¢ to FI,418 -H West Stocker Street, Glendale, California 91202.

Star Studded Comics #8 has Richard Green at his best in a new Xal-Hor, Human Cat strip. John Wright has done an exciting White Dragon text tale and it's great to see his work again. There's more for everyone so send 50¢ to the Texas Trio, 1830 Highland, Carrollton, Texas.

Biljo White is working on Batmania #10 right now and if you really dig the Caped Crusader, you should get your order in now. There will be a section that gives short synopsis of early Detective and Batman stories by Larry Raybourne. And you'll find that column where readers trade and sell old Batman books and items. 30¢ is all you need to get it from Bill Joe White, Box 115, Columbia, Missouri 65202.

BATMAN COMICS TO COME! In Brave and Bold #67, Batman puts Flash out of the Superhero business and practically in the grave also! Is he really responsible? Even National wouldn't tell me. Detective #354 has the Caped Crusader up against a Dr. Tzin-Tzin. This mystical mastermind catches Batman fast in a network of human fists. In Batman Comics that month, Poison Ivy will be back to place itchy problems in the path of the Dynamic Duo. The Joker and another new villain, the Hooded Hangman, are being scheduled for later stories. There also is another solo Robin story coming up. It's called"The Boy Wonder's Boo-Boo Patrol" and will appear in Batman Comics soon.

CHARLTON CHAMPIONS. Judomaster becomes The Man Without A Country when he meets the Cat, an oriental master swordsman. Thunderbolt's Case 0004 will pit him against a Chinese villain when Enters the Tong. Captain Atom finds his hands empty of villains and full of loveliness all in the same adventure. It all happens when he and a female member of the CIA are asigned to the same case...capture a villain who looks like he might be something more supernatural than human. How Do You Catch A Ghost? is the title of this one.

JUSTICE SOCIETY OF AMERICA--HUZZAH! For their annual outing with the JLA, the JSA has gathered together some of the lesser seen characters for the first time. The Sandman, Spectre and Wildcat join forces with the Black Canary, Dr. Fate and Dr. Mid-Nite to battle Solomon Grundy, Blockbuster, and Anti-Matter Man. The first part of this tale is called "Crisis Between Earths One and Two". The second part is"The Bridge Between Earths". And Sid Greene is going to be the permanent inker of this strip.

RECORDS AGAIN! By now there are tons of records on the market about Super Heroes and Batman in particular. The best of the latest albums are the Twentieth Century Fox album featuring actual segments of the TV show and a Leo the Lion album from MGM which gives straight dramatic adventures of Batman and Robin. This one should be like old time radio with the origin of the Dynamic Duo featured and two exciting battles with the Penguin and the Joker. Strictly for the Kiddies are 45 rpm records issued under the BATMAN label. The songs aren't much but the album covers are wirth the 49¢ price tag alone. These are fantastic pieces of art by Infantino of Batman, Robin,the comic Batmobile, The Joker and the Penguin. Give the record to your little brother or distant cousin, just keep the covers.

BILL EVERETT. That master of watery wizards now has his hand full of strips at Marvel. Besides doing the Hulk and Dr. Strange he now takes over the Sub-Mariner strip soon. His work on Dr Strange is great. The mystic wizard finds his hands full of problems that beset normal beings when he returns to Greenwich Village. But before he can solve them, he finds himself called away by the Ancient One. And it finally comes to past that we will learn the origin of the Ancient One. And thiss comes out in a story called "The Coming of Kaluu".

AND MORE FROM SCHWARTZ! Weird things keep happening to the Flash in issue #163 and he needs your help. In fact he stakes his life on you when the Piped Piper presents some problems that leave the scarlet speedster baffled. And the Atom finds himself going bugs and this only after a few issues back he went bats. It is all because The Insect Bandit shows up--costume, fantastic miniature bug-shaped weapons and all. Hawkman can be said to be going ape because his book will once again show the Flying Apes. A fanatic priest of this earth controls the apes and Hawkgirl almost becomes a human sacrifice. Green Lantern will be meeting Dr. Polaris again in issue #46 and for the first time in many years, GL becomes the future Green Lantern in issue #47.

MARVEL COLLECTORS' ITEM CLASSICS #4. For those of you who missed them, the FF will show up in a repear of issue #7. You'll also find a Ditko version of Iron Man versus a different Dr. Strange. There will be a Hulk tale taken from the time when he had his own book and the original Dr. Strange meets Baron Bordo tale.

NATIONAL'S CRIME NEMESIS. Angle Man brands Wonder Woman a traitor and the whole of America goes out to get her in her next issue. Doom Patrol #105 will feature "The Honeymoon of Terror" when Mr. 103 shows up on the scene. The Last Installment in the Robotman series appears in this issue also when you learn that the "Robot-Maker Must Die". Blackhawk #223 will feature a magician with an arsenal of crime costumes that really keep the magnificent seven on their toes. Bill Finger teamedup the Challengers with the Sea Devils so that the two groups could go after the Sponge Man. You'll read it all in Challengers #51. Ultra gets to become Captain Ace Arn again in MIS #109. And Strange Adventures #191 brings back the Enchantress to take a role in that fabulous old legend of The Beauty And The beast. J'onn J'onnz is on the upswing again. He gets a new secret identity and swings right into a story dealing with a crime syndicate. The Martian Manhunter meets Mr. Vulture and soon.

MARVEL'S WILD GANG. Daredevil keeps playing Guardian Angel for Foggy and he has his hands full with the Gladiator again in #19. Thor can't keep out of fights even when he has to go to the Nether World to have them in Thor #130. Shield keeps battling THEM in #148 while Captain America closes in on the Red Skull who has come back to life time after timeafter time in Suspense #83.

SPECIAL BATMAN NEWS FROM NATIONAL. Letters keep pouring in for Pinups featuring the Dynamic Duo and their villains. Well, National has let Carmine Infantino and Murphy Anderson work up several and they look fabulous. On top of that, you'll be able to buy them in pinup packs later. They'll all be a great size for framing or scrapbook saving. Look for them soon. They are also doing a new 3-D book on the Dynamic Duo. Some new material, some old material and some photos from the TV show. This is the year of the Batman.

TV JEEBIES. Marvel will be having a show on practically every day of the week in the Fall. Hulk, Captain America, Spidey, Sub-Mariner, and Thor will be dashing through animated stories taken from the original comic books. National will have Superman and Superboy on CBS every Saturday morning next Fall. Joining them in cartoon shows will be Metamorpho, Aquaman, Flash and get this...Plastic Man! Wonder Woman will be live action as will the Green Hornet who goes on Friday evenings at 7:30 next Fall on ABC. And if Hanna and Barbera can come up with the right formula, they will produce a Fantastic Four cartoon half hour show for one network. Remember I said FF.

THE FUTURE HOLDS SURPRISES! Watch for surprising changes at both Charlton and Marvel.

A PARTING NOTE! I've been receiving letters and reports about my column from all over and I'm very glad to hear from you. But I do wish that you would be patient about many of the things I mention in my column. Some of the hardbound books and paperbacks I mention will be coming out soon, but that doesn't mean that you should go looking for them immediately. When it is possible I will give a release date for you to start looking for them. If they don't issue one in the material I recieve, then I can't mention it in my column. And I want you to know that I spend hours and days each month visiting all of the publishers and contacting many writers and artist to get the news for you. It makes me feel very funny to learn that some of you are calling up the companies to see if what I am writing is true! I can't print a word in my column unless I know that it is true and it comes from a reliable source. So if you see it in ON THE DRAWING BOARD,you don't have to call National or Marvel or Tower! I got the news from them just so I could give it to you! Thanks again for your letters and comments. Keep them coming and I will keep the news coming to you as soon as I learn about it. If some of it is late, I can't help it b cause of our difficult, time limiting publishing schedule and printing deadlines. The word to remember with this column is PATIENT. And where I mention IF or MAYBE, it means that the item may never actually appear afterall. So you can't blame me if one book is announced and then pulled back by the publisher. They have problems also and that's why items like the newSteel Sterling book and the mystery hero from ACG never materialized. Thanks!

Comic-ally yours,

DAVID A. KALER

This editorial will be short but is very important. Please read everything below carefully. First of all, Dave Kaler has agreed to take over the post of Executive Secretary but a vote by the members of the Board is necessary before this can be done. Will all Board members please sendtheir vote to Paul as soon as possible. Dave will do a great job and I urge his election. I personally pledge to do all I can to help him in the future.

Secondly, a change will be made in TCR as is explained partially in TCR #47 which will beready shortly after you receive this. However some items have been changed since that was written. I am sending this issue of ON THE DRAWING BOARD to all who ordered #47. #2 will be out the first of May. This will give you fresh news. Starting with the June issue, OTDB will be published on a monthly basis by the Gateway Comic Book Club of St. Louis Missouri of which I am a member. TCR itself will be published on a quarterly schedule as AE is supposed to be and be a large article zi ne. By separating the two, the news column won't be held up by the rest of the material. You will be able to order OTDB separately for a very small price. Complete details will be available next month. I am sure that the Club will do an excellent job or else I wouldn't have let them have it. I will still retain a great deal of personal control over this strictly news zine. TCR itself will be devoted entirely to articles. For example TCR #48 which will be ready the first of June is a long 40 pages done wrap-around style. It will definitely contain a full color cover by pro John Dixon, 5 page Bidgee about Dixon's artistic career, Question Corner by Ray Miller, a long 7 page article on the Novelty line by Glen Johnson, Fox by Ronn Foss, Picto-Origins by Bill Dubay, a text tale by professional writer Larry Brody, Secrets Behind All Star Comics by Jerry Bails and Phil Castora, Small Talk by Glen, plus art by Hutchinson, Doug Potter, Ray Miller, and Ronn Foss. Also there will be special features. This will be in the same basic style as TCR is now so this 40 pages contains more material than over 2 issues of AE and is of equal quality. The back cover will be done in full color by Reed Crandall. You camn get TCR #48 and OTDB Vol 2 #2 for $ .85. The amount you have to your credit is listed right after your address so you will know how much you owe for the two next month. Academy members owe a nickel less or the charge to them is $ .80. TCR #48 will be sent in an envelope to all. I am no longer handling OTDB because of the amount ofwork necessary for it. I feel that a group is betterr capable of handling it on a strict monthly basis as it should be. Watch for full details in #2.

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